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ADVO, INC. REQUEST TO CONDUCT CROSS-EXAMINATION OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITNESS BARON

Advo, Inc. (Advo) hereby requests oral cross-examination of United States Postal Service witness Baron. Advo anticipates that this cross-examination, relating to the methodologies and equations used in the witness's testimony, will be short.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this date served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

Thomas W. McLaughlin

October 14, 1997